

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA

GREAT FALLS DIVISION

DONALD S. CAPE,

Plaintiffs,

No. CV 03-03-GF-SEH

VS.

CORRECTIONS CORPORATION OF AMERICA, INC.; JAMES MacDONALD; WILLIAM BOOTHE; K. CRANE; TIM HAWKE; BEST FOODS, INC.; ARAMARK INC.; K. KINYON; Ms. MENGE; Ms. STEVESON; J.R. WEISNER; and JOHN DOES 1 through 10, sued in their individual and official capacities,

Defendants.

ORDER

United States Magistrate Judge Carolyn S. Ostby entered her Findings and Recommendation¹ on July 18, 2006. Plaintiff filed objections² on August 7, 2006. The Court reviews *de novo* findings and recommendation to which objections are made. 28 U.S.C. §

¹ Docket No. 135

² Docket No. 140

636(b)(1).

Judge Ostby found that: (1) Defendants are not entitled to summary judgment on the basis of Rooker-Feldman; (2) all the elements of res judicata are met with respect to all of Plaintiff's claims against Defendants Hawke and Best Foods; (3) Plaintiff is collaterally estopped from asserting a First Amendment claim against Defendant Aramark; (4) Defendant's claim for money damages should not be dismissed; (5) Defendant's request for declaratory judgment should be dismissed; (6) Defendant's request for injunctive relief should be dismissed; and (7) Defendant states a claim sufficient to go forward under the Religious Land Use and Institutionalized Person Act against Defendant Aramark based on its alleged failure to provide meatless meals and/or fish on Fridays, Ash Wednesday, and during Lent.

I agree with Judge Ostby's findings and with her recommendations that: (1) the Hawke Defendants' motion for summary judgment should be granted: (2) all of Plaintiff's claims against Defendants Hawk and Best Foods, Inc., should be dismissed with prejudice, and Defendants Hawke and Best Foods, Inc., should be dismissed; (3) Plaintiff's First Amendment claim against Defendant Aramark should be dismissed with prejudice; and (4) Defendant's requests for declaratory and injunctive relief should be dismissed.

Accordingly, after *de novo* review of the record and after considering the Plaintiff's objections, I adopt in full the Findings and Recommendation of Judge Ostby.

ORDERED:

1. The Hawke Defendants' motion for summary judgment³ is GRANTED.

³ Docket No. 122

- 2. All of Plaintiff's claims against Defendants Hawk and Best Foods, Inc., are DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE, and Defendants Hawke and Best Foods, Inc., are DISMISSED.
- 3. Plaintiff's First Amendment claim against Defendant Aramark is DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE.
 - 4. Defendant's requests for declaratory and injunctive relief are DISMISSED.

DATED this <u>48</u> day of August, 2006.

SÁM E. HADDON

United States District Judge